APPENDIX.

Statute Involved.

Section 5 (a) of the Federal Trade Commission Act, 52 Stat. 111, 15 U.S.C.A. Sec. 45 provides as follows:

> "Unfair methods of competition in commerce, and unfair or deceptive acts or practices in commerce, are hereby declared unlawful.
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> "The Commission is hereby empowered and directed to prevent persons, partnerships, or corporations, except banks, common carriers subject to the Acts to regulate commerce, air carriers and foreign air carriers subject to the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938, and persons, partnerships, or corporations subject to the Packers and Stockhards Act, 1921, except as provided in Section 406 (b) of said Act, from using unfair methods of competition in commerce and unfair or deceptive acts or practices in commerce."